



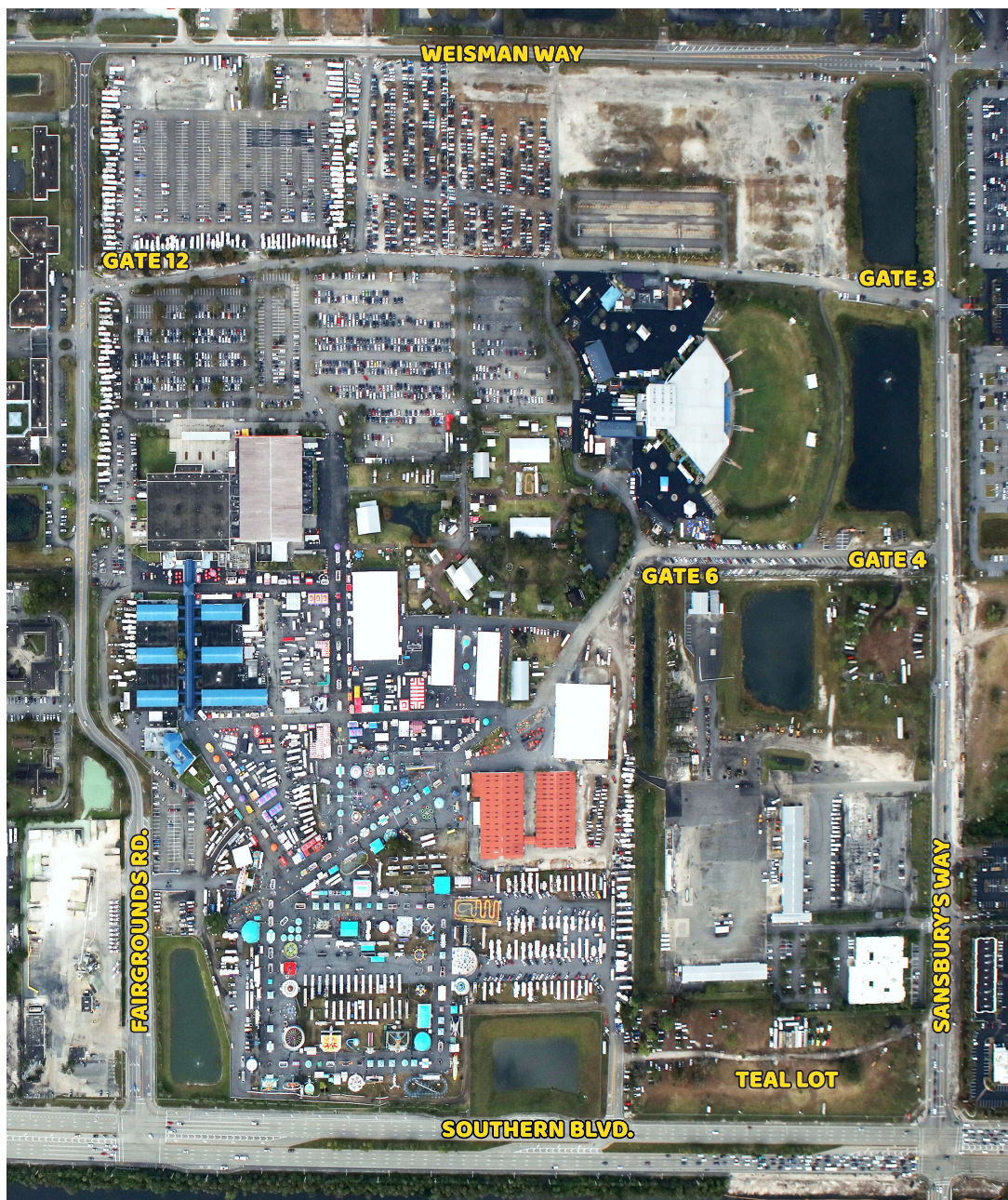
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The 2021 South Florida Fair – January 15-31 – promises to be a Fair that will have a place in the history books. Faced with the Coronavirus pandemic, the Fair Board, Staff and Volunteers are all working to plan a Fair for our community that will be unique and allow us to welcome you with open palms to our facility.

The theme for the 2021 Fair Exposition is “An Earthly A-Fair”. The exposition center will host exhibits to show Fair visitors how small changes in the way we live can make a huge impact on our lives. We will feature interactive and educational exhibits about the protection of our environment and the vital importance of agriculture. Clean air, water conservation and ways to protect our endangered species will all be part of the exposition.

This year’s premium book has lots of information on how you can participate in the many competitions that are annual traditions at the South Florida Fair. It also includes information on new activities and events that are being planned. We welcome you to become a part of a 109-year long tradition by participating in the 2021 South Florida Fair.

Thank you for helping us carry on the tradition of agricultural Fairs in America. We especially appreciate your support of the South Florida Fair.

Sincerely,

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Welcome to the South Florida Fair and Palm Beach County Expositions, Inc.!

Each year, approximately 5 million people attend one of the numerous fairs around our state. As Florida's Commissioner of Agriculture, I am enthusiastic about the positive impact fairs and livestock shows have on the agricultural industry.

Events like the South Florida Fair and Palm Beach County Expositions are an excellent platform for showcasing the finest "Fresh From Florida" products as well as the industry's latest technological advancements and innovations.

The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services created and maintains the "Fresh from Florida" program, which assists small and large producers alike by promoting the wide variety of high-quality products that are grown and harvested in Florida. I hope we can also count on your support of this program - just look for items with the "Fresh from Florida" label. Together, we can help our state's agricultural industry thrive.

While you are visiting the South Florida Fair and Palm Beach County Expositions today, I hope you will take the opportunity to enjoy the outstanding food, entertainment, contests and youth exhibits. Most importantly, I hope your day at the fair will allow you to experience Florida's agricultural roots and its impact on our great state. Enjoy!



Sincerely,

COMMISSIONER NICOLE "NIKKI" FRIED  
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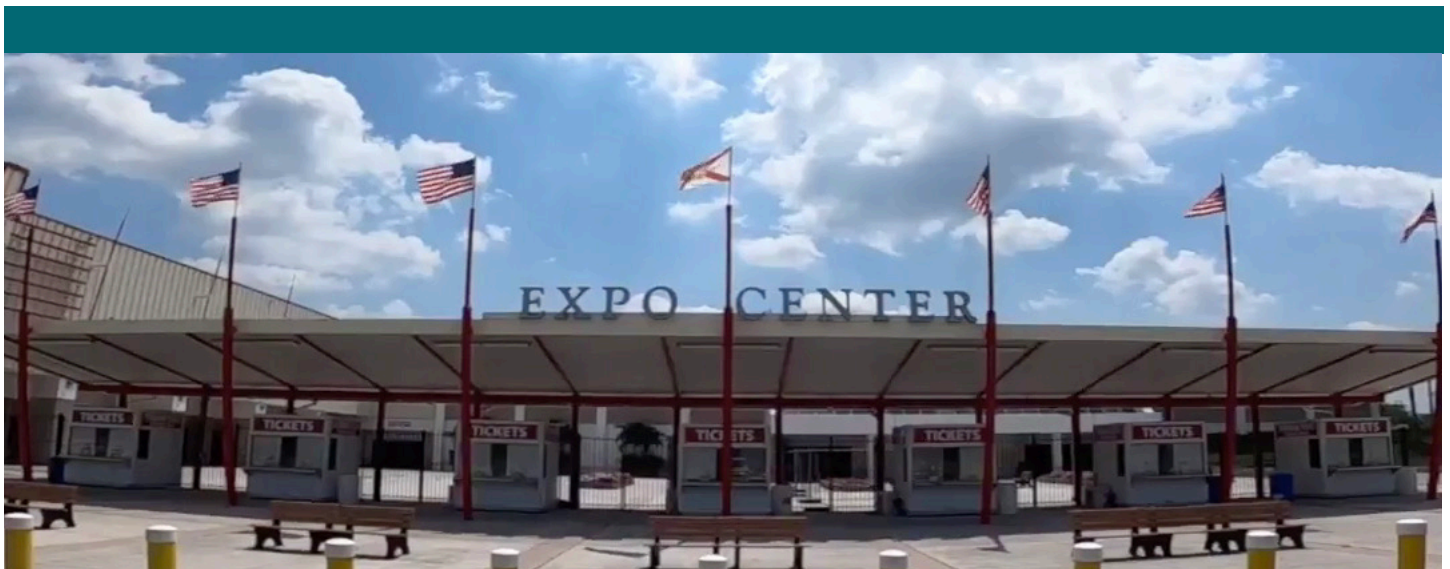
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Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the "IAFE Code of Show Ring Ethics," fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels.

All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers or absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States and Canada.



The following are list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:

1. All exhibitors must present, upon request of fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership, and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
2. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
3. Junior exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at fairs or livestock shows.
4. Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of violative drug residues. The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of, consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or absolutely responsible person for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with the animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event.

If the laboratory report on the analysis of saliva, urine, blood, or other sample taken from livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be prima facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample of urine, saliva, blood, or other substance tested by the laboratory, to which it is sent, is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise.

At any time after an animal arrives on the fair or livestock show premises, all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medications for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal shall be administered by a licensed veterinarian.



5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, confirmation, or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
6. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
7. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
8. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violation of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.
9. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
10. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to have disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show for violation of this Code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or livestock show without recourse against the fair or livestock show. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions, including Fairs and Expos and any special notices to members.
11. The act of entering of an animal in a fair or livestock show is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the IAFE Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state, or provincial statutes, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.

## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & CONSUMER SERVICES

### CHAPTER 5C-4: ADMISSION OF ANIMALS FOR EXHIBITION

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#### 5C-4.0015 Definitions.

For the purposes of this chapter the following definitions shall apply:

(1) Accredited Veterinarian. A veterinarian licensed in the state of origin and accredited by the United States Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA, APHIS) to perform certain functions of the federal and cooperative-state-federal programs in accordance with the provisions of Title 9 Code of Federal Regulations 9 CFR §161.1 (JAN 2018), which is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10035>.

(2) Animal(s). This term shall include: be as defined in section 585.01(10), F.S., which provides that the term "animal" shall include wild or game animals whenever necessary to effectively control or eradicate dangerous transmissible diseases or pets which threaten the agricultural interests of the state.

(3) Authorized Representative. An employee of the state or federal government, or a licensed veterinarian accredited by the USDA, who is authorized to conduct animal disease control and eradication activities.

(4) Commercial Production Swine. Swine that have been subjected to and found negative on their most recent annual brucellosis and pseudorabies tests and have been continuously managed with adequate facilities and practices to prevent exposure to any transitional or feral swine and so recognized by state animal health officials.

(5) "Domestic animal" shall include any equine or bovine animal, goat, sheep, swine, domestic cat, dog, poultry, ostrich, emu, rhea, or other domesticated beast or bird.

(6) Exhibition. Any premises displaying or presenting livestock to the general public for an animal exhibit or animal show at an event sponsored by the state or county.

(7) Group. One or more Animals maintained on the same premises or in contact with one another.

(8) Horse. Any horse, mule, ass, zebra or other equidae.

(9) Isolation. Separation of individual Animals by a physical barrier in a manner that assures one Animal does not have access to the body, excrement, or discharges of another Animal; does not share a building with a common ventilation system; and is not within ten feet of another Animal.

(10) "Livestock" means grazing animals, such as cattle, horses, sheep, swine, goats, other hoofed animals, ostriches, emus, and rheas which are raised for private use or commercial purposes.

(11) Market Class. An exhibition class consisting of finished fed Animals that are isolated and housed separately from all Animals not designated for slaughter immediately following the exhibition.

(12) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). A legible record or certificate made on an official form from the state of origin or from the USDA, or a Department-approved electronic format, issued and signed by veterinarians licensed and accredited in the state of origin for the purpose of certifying the Official Individual Identification, test requirements, and health status of specific Animals for movement, exhibition, and other designated purposes.

(13) Official Individual Identification. An individual Animal identification that uniquely identifies the Animal, the owner, the premises where the Animal was identified and the state in which the Official Individual Identification was applied and:

(a) For Cattle:

1. Is approved by the United States Department of Agriculture in accordance with 9 C.F.R. §86.4(a)(1) (2013), as incorporated in rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.; or

2. Is submitted to and verified by the Department as meeting the requirements for Official Individual Identification such that state officials can determine the herd in which the Animal was officially identified.

(b) For Livestock Other than Cattle:

1. Tattoos and registered brands such as ear, tail-web or flank tattoos, breed registration tattoos when accompanied by breed registration papers; or an official breed registration brand when accompanied by a brand registration certificate;

2. Official leg or wing bands for poultry;

3. Color digital images or notarized color photographs of the Animal, signed by an Accredited Veterinarian; or

4. Implanted electronic chips with a unique number that is recorded in a single, central database.

(14) Official test. A test conducted by a method approved by Department rules for the specific disease and Animal species.

(15) Poultry, Domestic Fowl or Ratites. Chickens, turkeys, quail, pheasants, chukars, peafowl, guineas, ratites (limited to ostriches, emus and rheas) and waterfowl that are propagated or maintained for commercial or breeding purposes.

(16) Segregated. To maintain a Group of Animals separate from another Group of Animals in such a manner as to prevent physical contact between Animals of the two Groups.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History—New 1-19-95, Amended 6-4-95, 6-21-06, 2-19-14, 11-21-18.

#### **5C-4.0016 Applications, Cards, Forms, Other Official Documents Required and Fees.**

(1) USDA. Equine Infectious Anemia Laboratory Test VS Form 10-11 (MARCH 2014). An official USDA, APHIS, VS form required for submitting samples and reporting results of Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) tests. Equine Infectious Anemia Laboratory Test VS Form 10-11 (MARCH 2014) is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10036>.

(2) Division.

(a) Official Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). These certificates are provided only to Florida-licensed Accredited Veterinarians and may be obtained as provided in subparagraph 5C-4.0016(2)(a)1., F.A.C. Depending on species and purpose (sale or movement), the following are Florida-recognized OCIVs:

1. Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, FDACS-09000 Rev. 06/17; for use with all species, in association with movement or sale. Cost is \$65 per book of 25 certificates. Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, FDACS-09000 Rev. 06/17 is incorporated by reference in rule 5C-24.003, F.A.C.

2. Official Equine Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, FDACS-09002 Rev. 04/17; for use with equine, in association with movement or sale. Cost is \$65 per book of 25 certificates. Official Equine Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, FDACS-09002 Rev. 04/17 is incorporated by reference in rule 5C-24.003, F.A.C.

(b) Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09207 Rev. 08/18 is incorporated by reference in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C., is an official card provided by the Department to the Horse owner, which certifies the existence of an official negative EIA test within the previous 12 months and a valid Florida Official Equine Certificate of Veterinary Inspection for interstate movement for exhibition purposes in states which accept the card. The document is valid for six (6) months provided the conditions in paragraphs 5C-3.003(5)(a)-(f), F.A.C., are met. The Equine Interstate Passport Card is not acceptable for change of ownership purposes. It may be applied for by submitting an Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09219 Rev. 12/09, to the Division with the associated fee of \$15.00 for the first equine and \$5.00 for each additional equine on the same application. Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09219 Rev. 12/09 is incorporated by reference in paragraph 5C-3.003(5)(e), F.A.C.

(c) Negative EIA Test Verification Card, FDACS-09160 Rev. 08/18, is an official document provided by the Department to the Horse owner to show proof of a negative EIA test within the previous 12 months, for purposes other than change of ownership. The document is valid for 12 months from the date the blood was drawn and is renewable annually with an associated fee of \$5.00 per application (Card). The Negative EIA Test Verification Card may be applied for by submitting the Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, FDACS-09206 Rev. 10/05. Negative EIA Test Verification Card FDACS-09160 Rev. 08/18 is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10037>. Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, FDACS-09206 Rev. 10/05 is hereby incorporated by reference and can be found online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10038>.

(d) Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09051 Rev. 03/06, an official document provided by the Department to the Horse owner, which certifies the existence of an official negative EIA test within the previous 12 months and a valid Florida Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09051 Rev. 03/06 is incorporated by reference in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C. The document is valid for six (6) months provided the conditions in paragraphs 5C-3.003(5)(a)-(f), F.A.C., are met. It may be applied for by submitting the Application for Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09078 Rev. 09/17, to the Division as referred to in subsection 5C-3.003(5), F.A.C., with the associated fee of

\$10.00 for the first equine and \$5.00 for each additional equine on the application: Application for Equine Event Extension, FDACS-09078 Rev. 09/17, is hereby incorporated by reference in paragraph 5C-3.003(5)(e), F.A.C. Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), (5), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 6-21-06, Amended 11-21-18.

#### **5C-4.0017 General Requirements, Exemptions and Limitations.**

(1) Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. Animals presented for exhibition purposes in Florida, unless specifically exempted, must be accompanied by an OCVI issued by a veterinarian accredited in the state of origin.

(a) The OCVI must be complete including the breed, sex, and registration number, and the Official Individual Identification of each Animal.

(b) Results of a specific test requirement or herd accreditation, certification or validation number for each Animal must be recorded on the OCVI with the date of the test or herd accreditation, certification or validation.

(2) Expiration of Required OCVI.

(a) For Florida-origin Animals an OCVI is valid for 90 days from the date of issue; or until the expiration date of any required tests, whichever is the earliest date.

(b) For Animals imported into Florida for exhibition purposes only, the OCVI is valid for 30 days, except that, for an equine imported into Florida using a current Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09207 Rev. 07/05, or equivalent from the state of origin signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official, the OCVI will be extended to the date of expiration of the Equine Interstate Passport Card or its equivalent of the state of origin.

(3) Exemption to Required OCVI. An OCVI is not required for Animals originating in Florida and entered in Market Classes provided that Animals are Segregated from other Animals and the pens are occupied only by the Animals in a Market Class. Pens used for Market Classes must not be reused until after cleaning and disinfecting.

(4) Inspection Required. Prior to immediate acceptance at an exhibition, all animals presented for exhibition must be visually inspected by an Authorized Representative for:

(a) The required Official Individual Identification of the Animal; and

(b) Clinical signs of disease including, but not limited to: caseous lymphadenitis, blisters/ulcers around the mouth, nostrils, coronary band, pinkeye, pox, scabies, lice, ringworm, atrophic rhinitis, or multiple warts that are clearly visible; and

(c) Evidence of compliance with Animal tests and OCVI requirements, where required.

(5) Animals Rejected for Exhibition.

(a) Any Animal in noncompliance with Animal tests and OCVI requirements, or

(b) Any Animal not meeting the Official Individual Identification requirements, or

(c) Any Animal which is suspected of having or showing clinical signs of dangerous transmissible, contagious or infectious disease on visual inspection, or any Animal which is known to be exposed to such diseases must be:

1. Immediately withdrawn from exhibition and returned to the place of origin, or

2. Examined by a Florida-licensed Accredited Veterinarian at the owner's expense within 24 hours, who certifies by a signed, written statement, that the Animal is free of dangerous transmissible, contagious or infectious disease and pests.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 6-21-06, Amended 10-17-18.

#### **5C-4.001 General Requirements and Limitations.**

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 7-1-71, Amended 8-7-77, 9-30-80, Formerly 5C-4.01, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-4-95, Repealed 6-21-06.

#### **5C-4.002 Cattle or Bison.**

(1) OCVI Required.

(a) Florida-origin cattle or bison moved for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 90 days prior to exhibition.

(b) Cattle or bison imported from other states for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 30 days prior to exhibition.

(2) Test or Certification Required.

(a) Tuberculosis.

1. Florida-origin cattle or bison may be entered for exhibition without a tuberculin test.

2. Imported dairy cattle may be entered for exhibition provided they have a negative caudal fold tuberculin skin test within 60 days prior to the date of the exhibition; except that, dairy cattle from an Accredited Herd as defined in Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, APHIS 91-45-011 (Jan. 2005) and originating in Tuberculosis-Free States, are exempt from this test requirement. Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, APHIS 91-45-011

(Jan. 2005) is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10086>.  
3. Imported beef cattle or bison may be entered for exhibition without a negative caudal fold tuberculin skin test provided they originate from Accredited Tuberculosis-Free States or Herds. Otherwise, they must meet the requirements in subparagraph 5C-4.002(2)(a)2., F.A.C.

(b) Brucellosis.

1. Test Required. Cattle or bison, six (6) months of age or older, must have evidence of a negative brucellosis test within 30 days prior to the date of exhibition.

2. Exemption from Required Brucellosis Test.

a. Steers and spayed heifers; and

b. Cattle or bison originating from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd as defined in 9 CFR §78.1 (JAN 2018), which is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10040>, or a Brucellosis Class Free State or Area which when certified, the OCVI must show the certified herd number and the date of the last herd certification test; and

c. Cattle or bison from non-quarantined herds originating from Class A State or Area provided that the cattle are under 18 months of age. Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-Amended 7-25-66, 11-15-67, 1-1-70, 7-1-71, 9-1-72, 8-7-77, 8-8-79, 9-30-80, 6-26-83, Formerly 5C-4.02, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-21-06, 11-21-18.

### **5C-4.003 Swine.**

(1) OCVI Required.

(a) Swine for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation for exhibition.

(b) Swine imported for exhibition must comply with the importation requirements set forth in rule 5C-3.007, F.A.C.

(2) Tests or Certification Required for Breeding Swine.

(a) Brucellosis.

1. Swine imported for exhibition must comply with the importation requirements set forth in rule 5C-3.007, F.A.C., Florida origin swine six (6) months of age or older must be negative to an official test for brucellosis within 90 days prior to exhibition, or

2. Originate from a Validated Brucellosis-Free Swine herd as defined in 9 CFR §78.1 (JAN 2018), which is incorporated by reference in rule 5C-4.002, F.A.C., or

3. Originate from a Commercial Production Swine Herd as defined in subsection 5C-4.0015(4), F.A.C.

(b) Pseudorabies. Swine imported for exhibition must comply with the importation requirements set forth in rule 5C-3.007, F.A.C. Florida origin swine six (6) months of age or older must be negative to an Official Test for pseudorabies within 90 days prior to exhibition, or

1. Originate from a Qualified Pseudorabies-Free Herd as defined in 9 CFR §85.1 (JAN 2018), which is incorporated by reference and available online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10043>, or

2. Originate from an Approved Commercial Production Swine Herd as defined in rule 5C-21.018, F.A.C.

(3) Exemptions. Swine for exhibition as Market Class swine are exempt from the OCVI and test requirements provided that all swine in the class go directly to slaughter following the exhibition.

(4) Isolation. Breeding swine returning to the farm from exhibitions must be Isolated from other swine for at least 30 days before being returned to the herd. Breeding swine for exhibition must be maintained in Isolation between exhibitions or move directly between exhibitions.

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 3-21-64, Amended 6-20-68, 1-1-71, 3-1-72, Formerly 5C-4.03, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-21-06, 11-21-18.

### **5C-4.004 Poultry, Domestic Fowl or Ratites.**

(1) OCVI Required. An OCVI is required for Poultry, Domestic fowl or Ratites for movement into Florida, but not specifically for exhibition. However, Poultry, Domestic fowl or Ratites presented for exhibition without an OCVI, must be inspected as provided in subsection 5C-4.0017(4), F.A.C.

(2) Test or Certification Required. All poultry or domestic fowl entered for exhibition must originate from Pullorum-Typhoid Clean flocks or hatcheries, as provided in 9 CFR §145 (Jan. 2018) and §147 (Jan. 2018), or have a negative pullorum-typhoid test within 90 days prior to exhibition. 9 CFR §145 (Jan. 2018) and §147 (JAN 2018) are hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10045>

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-Amended 4-20-67, 4-18-84, 4-4-85, Formerly 5C-4.04, Amended 6-21-87, 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-4-95, 6-21-06, 11-21-18.

### **5C-4.005 Goats or Sheep.**

(1) OCVI Required.

(a) Florida-origin goats or sheep presented for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation, except lamb or kids less than three months of age and accompanied by their dam.

- (b) Goats or sheep imported into Florida for exhibition must be accompanied by an OCVI completed within 30 days prior to exhibition.
- (2) Identification. All goats or sheep entered for exhibition purposes must have an Official Individual Identification in accordance with the Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-079, June 1, 2005, except lambs or kids under three months of age with official identification as defined in paragraph 5C-4.0015(13)(b), F.A.C., or accompanied by their dam. Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-079, June 1, 2005, is hereby incorporated by reference and available online at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10161>
- (3) Test or Certification Required.
- (a) Tuberculosis Test. All dairy goats six (6) months of age or older imported for exhibition purposes must originate from an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd as defined in 9 CFR §77.5 (Jan. 2018), or have had a negative caudal fold tuberculosis test within 90 days prior to exhibition. When originating from Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herds, the OCVI must show, the accredited herd number and the date of the last herd accreditation test.
- (b) Brucellosis Test. All dairy goats six (6) months of age or older imported for exhibition purposes must originate from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd as defined in 9 CFR §78.1 (Jan. 2018), or have had a negative brucellosis test within 90 days prior to exhibition. When originating from a Certified Brucellosis-free herd, the OCVI must show the certified herd number and the date of the last herd certification test. Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, APHIS 91-45-011 (JAN 2005) is hereby incorporated by reference in subparagraph 5C-4.002(2)(a)2., F.A.C.
- (c) Exemption From Test Requirements. There are no tuberculosis or brucellosis test requirements for meat type goats or Florida-origin dairy goats. Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. History-New 11-4-76, Formerly 5C-4.05, Amended 4-17-89, 1-19-95, 6-4-95, 6-21-06, 1-3-19.

#### **5C-4.006 Violation of Rules.**

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(1), (2), (3), 585.004, 585.005, 585.08(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2), (3), 585.007(1), (2) FS. History-New 6-29-62, Formerly 5C-4.06, Repealed 1-19-95.

#### **5C-4.007 Sheep.**

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1) FS. History-New 1-19-95, Repealed 6-4-95.

#### **5C-4.008 Horses.**

- (1) OCVI Required. An OCVI or an Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09207 Rev. 07/05, or equivalent of the state of origin, signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official, is required for Horses for movement into Florida, but not specifically for exhibition.
- (2) Test or Certification Required. All Horses presented for exhibition must be accompanied by evidence of a negative Official Test for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA), conducted within 12 months prior to exhibition. The negative EIA test must be reported on:
- (a) An original owner's copy of a VS Form 10-11 (March 2014);
  - (b) A laboratory certified copy of a VS Form 10-11 (March 2014);
  - (c) A legible photocopy of a VS Form 10-11 (March 2014);
  - (d) An Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09207 Rev. 07/05, or equivalent of the state of origin signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official; which may be applied for by submitting the Application for Equine Interstate Passport Card, FDACS-09219 Rev. 12/09;
  - (e) A Negative EIA Test Verification Card, FDACS-09160 Rev. 07/05, or equivalent of the state of origin signed by the State Veterinarian or chief animal health official; which may be applied for by submitting the Application for Negative EIA Test Verification Card, FDACS-09206 Rev. 10/05, or
  - (f) A Department-approved electronic EIA form containing clear, color digital images.
- (3) Exemption to Test Requirement. A foal under six (6) months of age accompanied by its dam which has met the EIA test requirement is not required to have an EIA test.
- Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(3), 585.145 FS. History-New 1-19-95, Amended 6-4-95, 6-21-06, 10-17-18.

#### **5C-4.009 Other Species.**

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS. Law Implemented 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(2) FS. History-New 1-19-95, Repealed 6-4-95.

#### **5C-4.010 Penalties for Violations.**

Rulemaking Authority 585.002(4) FS. Law Implemented 585.007, 585.145(3) FS. History-New 1-19-95, Repealed 6-4-95.

# SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR



PALM BEACH COUNTY EXPOSITIONS, INC.

## SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR & PALM BEACH COUNTY EXPOSITIONS, INC.

### ANIMAL WELFARE POLICY

The purpose of the South Florida Fair's Livestock Committee is to address all issues of animal care including:

- Appropriate care and management of animals while on the South Florida Fairgrounds by exhibitors.
- Educational programs for exhibitors and the general public.
- The philosophy of the South Florida Fair in regards to animal care and management.
- Handling expressions of concern for animal care from the public.

### PHILOSOPHY STATEMENT

The South Florida Fair is an animal welfare advocate requiring the humane treatment of animals. Animal welfare advocates continue to expand their knowledge base about animals, their behavior, and their management as science and technology dictate. Animal welfare advocates celebrate the bond between animals and humans.

IN CONTRAST, animal rights activists seek to sever any bond between humans and animals. Most animal rights activists believe animals should only be admired from afar, without human intervention. A large fraction of the movement is also pushing for animals to be given the same rights and status as humans. Animal rights activists fundamentally believe animals should not be utilized to feed, clothe, assist, entertain, or benefit humans.

### GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL EXHIBITORS

1. All entries and awards in all livestock departments shall be subject to the rules and regulations published in the premium book. Each exhibitor must complete, in its entirety, an entry form, W-9 and submit online to receive premium monies. A paper entry form is not required if you have submitted successfully online.
2. Entries close: December 1 for paper entries. A \$10.00 fee will be collected per exhibitor for paper entries mailed in, paper entries must be **POSTMARKED BY DECEMBER 1**. All fees must be paid at time of submission. **ALL** online submissions will have an extended deadline until **Midnight December 13**. No emailed or faxed entries will be accepted. Any entries received without required entry fees will be returned.
3. Substitutions for up to two (2) animals will be accepted at check-in. **This does NOT apply to Market animals**. These substitutions must be on a paper entry form and show the deleted and substituted animals. If the exhibitor does not have the appropriate paperwork, the substitutions will not be accepted. **ALL STUDENTS ENTERED IN THE SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR YOUTH SHOWS MUST HAVE COMPLETED THE ETHICS TRAINING WORKSHOP OR HAVE A CURRENT ETHICS NUMBER BEFORE JANUARY 1 TO SHOW AN ANIMAL AT THE SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR.**
4. All animals must have a current and valid health certificate upon arrival. All warts must be removed prior to arrival on fairgrounds.
5. Special rules for the special needs exhibitors will apply.
6. Youth exhibitors cannot be under the age of 8 or over the age of 19 as of January 1 current year, depending on the animal they are showing (see rules per livestock). Youth exhibitors must also be attending school or be enrolled in a certified home school program. Youth exhibitors who have graduated from high school or obtained their high school G.E.D. are not eligible to compete in youth shows (unless breed show rules supersede). **MARKET PROGRAM PARTICIPATION REQUIRES A G.P.A. OF 2.0 OR HIGHER.**
  - a. Protest Procedures: All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00 cash or certified check, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such a protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to Show Committee within twenty-four (24) hours after the occasion for such protest. Protest must be signed by three exhibitors.

b. Order of hearing or protest: 1. Show Chairman. 2. Action by Show Chairman. 3. Final action by Livestock Committee.

c. All rules and regulations that have been properly protested to the Show Chairman and the Livestock Committee shall be subject to the following penalties:

1. Loss of premium money.

2. Loss of awards.

3. Suspension from showing that animal as deemed necessary. Penalty may be for one, two, or three shows, or as long as deemed necessary for the offense.

4. Suspension of the exhibitor.

Failure to adhere to each show's specific rules shall also be subject to these penalties. Specified protest procedures must be adhered to by all exhibitors.

7. Disqualifications: Any exhibitor who has been disqualified from competition in any livestock show or has premiums withheld or withdrawn on the grounds of rule violation(s), will not be allowed to compete in other shows. This shall include, but is not limited to, disqualification for fraud, misrepresentation, unethical fitting or deception. Judging procedures will not be interrupted for protest investigation, and depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is completed. No complaint or appeal that a judge overlooked an animal, will be considered. If any exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by their representative, interferes with the judge(s), or shows any disrespect to them or to show officials, the existing show may excuse him/her from the ring and exclude him/her from further competition; premiums that may have been awarded may also be withheld. If an animal is disqualified after having won awards or premiums, the animals placing below him may be moved up at the option of the Livestock Committee, to fill the vacated position.

8. Effective August 17, 2000, the Board of Trustees of the South Florida Fair and Palm Beach County Expositions, Inc. voted there would be absolutely no animal sales to the public, with the exception of those amended by the Board, during the annual Fair. Rules and regulations have been revised to reflect this Fair Board action.

9. The IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics, the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services guidelines for Admission of Animals for Exhibition and the South Florida Fair shall govern the competitions at the South Florida Fair.

10. Except as otherwise permitted by law, NO DOGS are allowed in any exhibit building unless they are properly identified as service dogs, or scheduled for a demonstration or competition.



# YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW ETHICS AND ANIMAL CARE WORKSHOP

The Florida State Fair, along with many other Fairs throughout the State of Florida, believes that every youth exhibitor should receive proper training and information for raising and showing a youth animal project.

It is important that the exhibitors understand:

- The purpose of youth livestock projects
- The importance of ethics in youth livestock projects
- Proper animal handling and management
- The difference between animal welfare and animals rights
- Be prepared to be an ambassador for animal agriculture

The Youth Livestock Show Ethics and Animal Care Workshop is designed to certify students to meet the mandatory certification requirements that will be in effect for the 2021 Florida State Fair. Certifications are valid for three (3) Fair seasons, not 3 calendar years.

For any questions, please contact Lynann Hudson, Director of Agribusiness at the Florida State Fair, at [Lynann.Hudson@FloridaStateFair.com](mailto:Lynann.Hudson@FloridaStateFair.com) or 813-627-4341.

## IMPORTANT UPDATES



Due to the COVID-19 circumstances, some revisions have been made to the workshops for the 2020/2021 Fair Season.

- We will be offering On-Site Workshops and Zoom Meeting Workshops for new exhibitors and anyone who needs to be renewed.
- We are extending the Expiration Date for the 2018 Certifications will be extended until May 2021. For the 2020/2021 Fair Season, Certification Numbers starting with 18, 19, 20, and 21 are current and valid.



**REGISTER ONLINE AT [FLORIDASTATEFAIRAG.COM](https://FLORIDASTATEFAIRAG.COM)**

This program has been endorsed by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the University of Florida, Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences (IFAS).

# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.**

► Go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9) for instructions and the latest information.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only <b>one</b> of the following seven boxes.	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ► _____ <b>Note:</b> Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is <b>not</b> disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ► _____	Exempt payee code (if any) _____  Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <small>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</small>
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.	Requester's name and address (optional)
6 City, state, and ZIP code		
7 List account number(s) here (optional)		

## Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number									
				-				-	
or									
Employer identification number									

## Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

**Sign  
Here**

Signature of  
U.S. person ►

Date ►

## General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Future developments.** For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9).

## Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

*If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.*

## OPEN MARKET LAMB SHOW

### January 22, 2021

Entry fee is \$25.00 for the show, \$20.00 for showmanship (Youth only).

Online entries are required to participate in the Jackpot Show – the deadline for entry online is Midnight December 13, 2020. Late entries will be accepted the day of check-in for DOUBLE the ENTRY FEE (\$50.00).

Market lambs may arrive on January 21 between 4 and 6 p.m and January 22 between 2 and 4 p.m. All Jackpot Lambs will be weighed in at 4 p.m. January 22, 2020.

Showmanship is on January 22 at 7 p.m. in the Agriplex arena. All market lambs will be released by the Barn Boss after the shows. The show must have a minimum of five head entered in order to proceed.

#### Market Lamb Show- Rules and Regulations

1. All animals must have an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (health papers), issued by an accredited veterinarian, at time of check-in. Animals must be free of lice and are subject to the health requirements of the State of Florida. There will be no animal sales at the South Florida Fair, except at the Youth Market Auction.
2. All decisions made by the judge and show committee are final.
3. All goats entered must have an official individual identification in accordance with the National Scrapie Eradication Uniform Methods and Rules, APHIS 91-55-066, June 1, 2005.
4. Animals must be ewes or wethers, no rams are allowed to show.
5. All wethers/market ewes must have their milk teeth in place at the time of showing and be slick-shorn with tails docked.
6. Wether/market ewe classes will be divided according to weight and sex.
7. Number of classes and weight breaks will be determined by the show committee on show day.
8. Any wether showing evidence of testicular tissue is ineligible to show.
9. Exhibitors are responsible for the security, safety and care for their animals. You are responsible for pen breakdown and cleanup before being released.
10. Wethers and ewes are eligible for the show, and will be shown separately. Winners from individual classes in both divisions will be brought back together to compete for the top five overall individuals.
11. Bracing lambs is allowed.
12. There are no limits on the number of entries an exhibitor enters.
13. Exhibitors must show their own lamb. If the exhibitor has more than one lamb in class, another exhibitor can show for them. This must be cleared with show officials before showing.
14. Showmanship (Youth Only): Each exhibitor must show their own animal in showmanship. The animal must be entered in the show by the exhibitor. Showmanship classes will be determined by the number and ages of exhibitors entered.

Jackpot prize money awarded 1st---5th place (1st --- 50%, 2nd --- 20%, 3rd --- 15%, 4th --- 10%, 5th --- 5% of the entries collected). Showmanship ----- prizes.

**\*Grand Champion premium of \$200.00 to be awarded if there is a minimum of three exhibitors with a total of at least 10 head of animals.\***

**IMPORTANT: The South Florida Fair requires all large animal exhibitors to complete a W-9 in order to receive premiums.**

**OPEN MARKET LAMB SHOW**  
**January 22, 2021 - ENTRY FORM**

Exhibitor/Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethics #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Premise ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Showmanship: Collegiate 19-24 yrs. Sr 15-19 yrs. Int 12-14 yrs. Jr 8-11 yrs. (circle one) - Fee: \$20

Tag/Tattoo#	Buck/Wether/Doe	Date of Birth	\$25 Regular	\$50 Late

**ALL FORMS MUST BE SIGNED OR THEY WILL BE RETURNED TO EXHIBITOR**  
(Please read and sign where required)

By signing this form, I acknowledge that I have voluntarily chosen to enter the South Florida Fair & Palm Beach County Expositions, Inc. (the "Fairgrounds" or "Fair") and participate in any and all activities, events, and to use the Fairgrounds, including all of the building(s), walkways, common areas and amenities. In consideration for the Fairgrounds permitting me to participate in the event and use the Fairgrounds, I hereby acknowledge, release, agree, promise and covenant on behalf of myself, my children, my parents, my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and estate, with the Fairgrounds, each of its lessors, parent companies, subsidiaries, related companies and business concerns, past and present, and each of them, as well as each of its partners, trustees, directors, officers, members, employees, elected and appointed officials, licensees, volunteers, contractors, sponsors, representatives, managers, agents, attorneys, and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their behalf, past and present, and each of them (collectively referred to herein as the "Releasees").

I UNDERSTAND AND ACKNOWLEDGE that participating in this event and using the Fairgrounds entails known and unanticipated risks which could result in PHYSICAL OR MENTAL INJURY, PARALYSIS, DEATH, ILLNESS OR DISEASE, OR DAMAGE to me, my property, or to third parties. I understand and acknowledge those risks may result in claims against Releasees. However, I am making an informed choice to voluntarily accept such risks in exchange for the opportunity to participate in the event, and I agree that the benefits of the event outweigh the risks, which include but in no way are limited to:

(i) the acts, omissions or negligence in any degree of Releasees, or their agents or employees; (ii) the risks inherent in the event, including but not limited to any physical or mental injuries; (iii) latent or apparent defects or conditions of the Fairgrounds; (iv) improper or inadequate instruction or supervision regarding the event or use of the Fairgrounds; (v) the behavior of co-participants; (vi) accidents or incidents in the Fairgrounds; (vii) criminal acts, terrorism or acts of war declared or undeclared; (viii) exposure or potential exposure to sickness, illness, viruses, harmful bacteria and other infectious diseases; and/or (ix) first aid, emergency treatment or services rendered or failed to be rendered by Releasees, or their contractors, agents or employees.

I UNDERSTAND AND ACKNOWLEDGE that the above list is not complete or exhaustive, and that other risks, known or unknown, identified or unidentified, anticipated or unanticipated may also result in injury, death, illness, disease, or damage to me or to my property. I FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE that I am in good physical and mental health, and not suffering from any condition, disease or disablement which would or could potentially affect my participation in the event, use of the Fairgrounds, or harm to co-participants.

I EXPRESSLY AND VOLUNTARILY AGREE, COVENANT AND PROMISE TO ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL RESPONSIBILITIES AND RISK FOR INJURY, DEATH, ILLNESS OR DISEASE OR DAMAGE to me or to my property arising from participation in the event or use of the Fairgrounds.

I VOLUNTARILY RELEASE AND FOREVER DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE Releasees and all other persons or entities affiliated therewith, from any and all liability,

claims, demands, actions or rights of action, which are related to, arise out of, or are in any way connected with the participation in the event, use of the Fairgrounds including, but specifically not limited to, any and all negligence or fault of Releasees.

I UNDERSTAND THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY THAT IS VALID FOREVER and will apply to all current and future participation in the event or use of the Fairgrounds authorized hereunder. I understand that this RELEASE OF LIABILITY will prevent me, my child, my heirs or my estate from bringing any action at law, suit in equity, or other judicial proceeding or making any claim for damages, injury or death in the event of damage, injury or death arising from participation in the event or use of the Fairgrounds.

I FURTHER AGREE, PROMISE AND COVENANT TO HOLD HARMLESS AND TO INDEMNIFY Releasees, and all other persons or entities from all defense costs, including attorneys' fees, or any other costs incurred in connection with claims for mental or bodily injury, wrongful death or property damage that may be filed by me, my child, my heirs or my estate. Such indemnity and defense obligation shall further extend to any claim or loss, which alleges that I negligently or intentionally caused any injury, death or damage to co-participants or other third parties in the course of my participation in the event or use of the Fairgrounds.

The Fair reserves the unilateral right to cancel this event for economic reasons, or for the public good, or for events including, but not limited to acts of God, fire, flood, natural disaster, a threat of or a tropical storm, a threat of or a hurricane, inclement weather, war or threat of war, acts or threats of terrorism, civil disorder, unauthorized strikes, governmental regulation or advisory, recognized health threats as determined by the World Health Organization, the Centers for Disease Control, or local government authority or health agencies (including but not limited to the health threats of COVID-19, H1N1, or similar infectious diseases), a pandemic, curtailment of transportation facilities, or other similar occurrence beyond the control of the parties in which case any funds paid by the participant for unused days, less actual expenses necessarily incurred by the Fair in connection with the event so cancelled, will be refunded without penalty. In addition, The Fair reserves the unilateral right to cancel this event in the event of any request by any Federal, State or County agency for use of the Fairgrounds under such circumstances, it being understood and agreed by the participant that its rights hereunder are subordinate and inferior to the right of use by any Federal, State or County agency or department, in which case any funds paid by the participant for unused days, less actual expenses necessarily incurred by the Fair in connection with the event so cancelled, will be refunded without penalty. Should the Fair exercise its rights to cancel this event for any reason, including, but not limited to, those stated above, the participant agrees to forego any and all claims for damages against The Fair and further agrees to waive any and all rights which might arise by reason of the terms of this agreement and the participant shall have no recourse of any kind against the Fair.

YOUTH OR ADULT EXHIBITOR: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian/Parent/Advisor of the above Signatory:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT: The South Florida Fair requires all large animal exhibitors to complete a W-9 in order to receive premiums.**

**ALL STUDENTS ENTERED IN THE SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR YOUTH SHOWS MUST HAVE COMPLETED THE ETHICS TRAINING WORKSHOP OR HAVE A CURRENT ETHICS NUMBER BEFORE JANUARY 1 TO SHOW AN ANIMAL.**

NOTE: While most Florida fairs have adopted this ethics program, the rules governing the exhibitors differ from fair to fair. It is the exhibitors' responsibility to make sure they are in compliance with EACH fair where they are showing.

**For a complete Ethics Class listing go to: <http://www.southfloridafair.com/ethics>**